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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Taylor et al.

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For: ANTIGEN-BASED HETEROPOLYMERS AND
METHOD FOR TREATING AUTOIMMUNE
DISEASES USING THE SAME

Attorney Docket No: 9426-059

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated June 29, 2004 be extended for a period of three month(s) from September 29, 2004 to and including December 29, 2004.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$1020.00. Please charge the required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013. A copy of this sheet is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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